

RESOLUTION NO. 16-190

WHEREAS, the City Council and the Mayor of the City of Huntsville, Alabama are apprised that the life of Albert Franklin Farrar, Sr. will be honored during his memorial service, to be held at First Missionary Baptist Church on Saturday, March 12, 2016; and,

WHEREAS, born in Clarksville, Virginia to Albert Aldolphus Farrar and Elizabeth Merritt Farrar, Albert graduated from West End High School and attended Virginia State University. After military service, he earned a B.S. from Alabama A&M University. Albert was a loving husband, father, brother, and overall family man. Greeting him in heaven were his parents and oldest sister, Annie Belle Moseley; and,

WHEREAS, Albert is survived by his wife of 58 years, Verline Williamson Farrar; his daughters, Verlinda Paul (Wayne) (Atlanta, Georgia) and Cordai Farrar (Atlanta, Georgia); and his son, Major (Ret) Albert F. Farrar, Jr. (Mi Sook) (Radcliff, Kentucky); his grandsons, Daniel Paul (Muncie, Indiana) and Jonathan Wright (Columbus, Georgia); his sisters, Audrey Clayton (Robert) (Richmond, Virginia) and Annette Dudley (Reeves) (Dayton, Ohio); his brothers, A. Lockett Farrar (Mavis) (Prince George, Virginia), and Arthur Farrar (Elizabeth) (Washingtonville, New York); his brother-in-law, David Mosely (Lynchburg, Virginia); his uncle, Augustus Tisdale (Willimena) (Bridgeport, Connecticut); and a host of beloved nieces, Nephews, and cousins, and dozens of adoptive sons and protégés as alumni from Troop 102 and Troop 400; and,

WHEREAS, Albert Franklin Farrar, Sr. transitioned to his heavenly home on February 10, 2016 in Atlanta, Georgia. The retired U. S. Army First Sergeant was 80 years of age. Albert is remembered for his work and leadership as a church deacon and Chair of Youth Services for the Golden K of the Kiwanis in Huntsville, Alabama. He is most notably remembered for his passionate and dedicated work with Boy Scout Troop 102 and Troop 400 in Huntsville, Alabama. The Albert F. Farrar, Sr. Scout Hut was named to honor his dedicated work with Troop 400. He continued to serve as Scoutmaster Emeritus even during health challenges.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council and Mayor of the City of Huntsville, Alabama, express to his wife, family, relatives and friends their deepest sympathy in the loss of Albert Franklin Farrar, Sr.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that even as we mourn the passing of Albert Franklin Farrar, Sr., we are resigned to the all-wise heavenly Father's will.

ADOPTED this the 10th day of March, 2016.

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President of the City Council of the
City of Huntsville, Alabama

APPROVED this the 10th day of March, 2016.

Mayor of the City of Huntsville, Alabama